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Magistrate Judge Michael A. Hammer
US District Court, District of New Jersey
Martin Luther King Building & US Courthouse
50 Walnut Street, Court Room MLK 2C
Newark, NJ 07102

**RE: Wolf v. State of New Jersey et als
Docket No.: 2:17-cv-02072-MCA-MAH
Our File No.: 1171117917**

Dear Judge Hammer:

This office represents the defendant, Peter Van Aulen, in the above-named matter.

We are in receipt of the court's October 16, 2017 letter Order which directs the parties to provide a proposed discovery plan by November 17, 2017. The court will then issue a scheduling Order on November 21, 2017.

This office currently has a Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Complaint in Lieu of Answer for Lack of Subject Matter Jurisdiction and for Failure to State a Claim for Relief and on grounds of the Rooker-Feldman and Abstention Doctrines. That motion is currently returnable before Judge Arleo on November 6, 2017. We do not know if the motion will actually be heard upon that date.

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In light of the pending Motion to Dismiss, we respectfully request that the time to provide a proposed discovery plan and the issuing of a scheduling Order be adjourned until after the pending Motion to Dismiss has been heard. A copy of this request is being served on all counsel of record through the court's electronic filing system and upon the pro se plaintiff by regular and certified mail.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Ms. Karin Wolf